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## MEDICINAL



**Electropoise.**  
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**FIGHT WITH A JAGUAR.**—A Demerara  
correspondent of an English paper describes  
a desperate fight between a man and a jaguar,  
which recently took place on the Demerara  
river. The hero of the combat, a black  
named Lily Davidson, a farmer, was out  
with his dog, which roused a jaguar from its  
lair. The ferocious animal made tracks for  
the thick scrub, followed by Davidson and his  
dog. Being closely pressed, the jaguar  
climbed a tree, where Davidson shot it,  
wounding it in the head. This made the  
animal descend, and again he dived into the  
bush, pursued by Davidson. The beast  
concealed himself in some brambles, and as  
Davidson was again trying to take aim the  
jaguar leaped upon him, knocking him bodily  
into a drain full of water. Davidson  
now engaged in a desperate struggle with  
the fierce brute, and seizing the jaguar, now  
seemingly exhausted from loss of blood, he  
exerted all his strength and managed to hold  
his head under water until he was slowly  
suffocated. But before this the jaguar had  
severely wounded the courageous man; his  
hand was badly bitten, the scalp on the left  
side of his head was partly ripped off and his  
left eye was gouged out. Suffering as he  
was Davidson slowly crawled home, and while  
he went into hospital sent his friends for  
the dead jaguar. The latter measured 5  
feet 11 inches from head to tail. Davidson,  
on whose happy escape his friends warmly  
congratulated him, was slowly recovering  
when the last mail left Demerara.

**GIRL ROBBERS.**—A dispatch from Fall  
River, Mass., to the New York Sun says:  
The latest highway robbery in this vicinity  
has so much of the ludicrous surrounding it  
that the serious nature of the crime is almost  
lost sight of. Alice Greenwood and  
Agnes Sexton, each about twelve years of  
age, were the victims. They were walking  
along Pleasant street, near the Merchants'  
Mill, Saturday evening, when they were ac-  
cused by three other girls of about the same  
age. The three strangers demanded the  
purse which the Greenwood girl carried.  
Naturally she objected. Then the three  
"held her up" in the most approved western  
style. One of them held the girl's arm,  
while another of them put a pin in her nose.  
When the victim sneezed she loosened her  
hold upon the pocket-book, and the third  
young robber improved the opportunity to  
snatch it from her hand. They then ran  
around the corner and disappeared down  
Fourteenth street. The Greenwood girl ran  
after them crying, and was met by James  
Irving, the goal-tender of the East End Foot-  
ball Club. He was informed of the robbery,  
and joined in the chase. He found the girl  
handcuffed behind a stone crusher dividing  
the spoils. The presence of a man  
took away their courage, and they readily  
surrendered the money. While Mr. Irving  
was looking for a policeman the girls escaped,  
and have not yet been caught.

**DR. JENCKES' PROPHECY.**—The Rev. Dr.  
Jenckes, rector of St. Paul's Cathedral, In-  
dianapolis, Ind., a conservative, scholarly  
divine, who recently startled the com-  
munity by declaring the end of the world  
within a few years, preached Sunday night to  
an immense congregation. In concluding  
an exhaustive discourse he said that he had  
seventy proofs that the world will end with-  
in ten years, and that sixty-nine are taken  
from the Bible. The literal belief in the  
burning of the world he entertains, not that  
it will be destroyed, but only purified and  
burn a new dwelling-place in the abode of  
the elect. She will be completely wiped  
away, and the Lord alone be sovereign in  
the majesty of the perfect truth. Any one  
who doubts may be convinced by perusing  
the first chapter of Malachi. "Ye shall tread  
on the snakes of the wicked." Positively he  
states that within six months there will be a  
war in Europe, which shall last several  
years, that will make clear the mystery of  
the Last Tribes.

**A BIG LOCOMOTIVE.**—The Pennsylvania  
has just commenced the building of a mon-  
ster locomotive at its shops in Altoona, Pa.  
An Altoona paper says it will be about three  
times as long as the average locomotive,  
will have two sets of driving wheels, one set  
being in the front and one set of pony wheels  
being under the pilot. The wheels will be  
under the trucks, so that the locomotive can  
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